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SUBJECT: VISIT OF POLISH MINISTER OF AGRICULTURE

REF: A) STATE 196897-C, B) STATE 203103-C

1. THE SUBSTANCE OF REFTEL B WAS COMMUNICATED TO MINAGRIC OFFICIALS WHO ARE NOW RESIGNED TO THE FACT THAT THE DELEGATION MUST BE DIVIDED FOR THE FLIGHT TO ADHERE TO U.S. REGULATIONS. PANAM'S FLIGHTS WARSAW/NEW YORK LEAVE ON MONDAY, WEDNESDAY AND FRIDAY. SINCE THE MINISTER CANNOT LEAVE POLAND TWO FULL DAYS BEFORE HIS PROGRAM BEGINS IN WASHINGTON, WE SUGGEST THAT HE USE THE FOLLOWING ROUTE: SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 20: WARSAW/FRANKFURT VIA LO-271, LV 0935 ARR 1115, FRANKFURT/WASHINGTON (DULLES) VIA PA-67, LV 1205 ARR 1625.

2. MRS. BARCIKOWSKA IS A SENIOR GOP CIVIL SERVANT WHO HAS SERVED AS AN OFFICER IN THE MINAGRIC FOR THE PAST FIFTEEN YEARS. SHE HOLDS A PH.D. IN AGRICULTURAL EDUCATION AND SERVED AS A SENIOR SPECIALIST IN THIS FIELD LONG BEFORE HER HUSBAND BECAME MINISTER OF AGRICULTURE. IN VIEW OF HER PROFESSIONAL  
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TRAINING AND EXPERIENCE IN THE MINAGRIC, WE RECOMMEND THAT

MRS. BARCIKOWSKA GET THE SECOND IVP "STAFF AIDE" GRANT FOR THE MINISTER'S TRIP. SHE WOULD LIKE TO VISIT THE NATIONAL AGRICULTURE OFFICERS CONCERNED WITH LOWER AND MIDDLE LEVEL AGRICULTURAL EDUCATION IN THE DEPARTMENT'S EXTENSION SERVICE. SHE WOULD ALSO LIKE TO VISIT AT LEAST ONE "AGRICULTURAL UNIVERSITY" DURING THE TRIP.

3. POLES OBVIOUSLY ATTACH CONSIDERABLE SIGNIFICANCE TO THIS VISIT AND ARE FULLY AWARE THAT BARCIKOWSKI IS FIRST MINISTERIAL LEVEL GOP OFFICIAL TO VISIT THE U.S. FOLLOWING PRESIDENT FORD'S VISIT HERE. THE MINAGRIC VIEWS THIS VISIT AS AN OFFICIAL STATE VISIT OF A MINISTERIAL LEVEL OFFICER. SUCH VISITS ARE NORMALLY BEYOND THE SCOPE OF OUR IVP PROGRAM, BUT WE BELIEVE THAT ARRANGEMENTS FOR THE MINISTER'S VISIT CAN BRIDGE THE GAP BETWEEN WHAT IS NORMALLY PROVIDED FOR IN THE IVP PROGRAM AND THE EXPECTATIONS OF THE GOP FOR THIS VISIT.

4. THE FOLLOWING SUGGESTIONS AND CLARIFICATIONS CONCERNING THE ITINERARY HAVE BEEN PROVIDED BY MINAGRIC OFFICIALS:

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 22:

MINISTER BARCIKOWSKI WISHES TO DISCUSS CCC CREDITS, POLISH GRAIN PURCHASES IN THE U.S., THE STATUS OF THE POLISH/AMERICAN VETERINARY CONVENTION, AND THE FURTHER EXPANSION OF U.S./POLISH AGRICULTURAL COOPERATION WITH SECRETARY BUTZ DURING THEIR MEETING. MINAGRIC OFFICIALS SAID THAT INSUFFICIENT TIME HAS BEEN ALLOTTED TO THE MEETING WITH THE SECRETARY WHICH IS NOW SCHEDULED TO BEGIN AT 11:30 AM. THEY REALIZE THAT THE SECRETARY WILL BE HOSTING THE LUNCHEON SCHEDULED FOR THIS DAY AT THE USDA, BUT SAID THAT MINISTER BARCIKOWSKI WOULD NOT FEEL FREE TO DISCUSS SERIOUS MATTERS INFORMALLY AT LUNCH AND THAT HE NEED SUFFICIENT TIME FOR THESE DISCUSSIONS ESPECIALLY SINCE HE AND THE SECRETARY WILL BE CONVERSING THROUGH AN INTERPRETER. THEY HAVE REQUESTED THAT THE TENTATIVELY SCHEDULED MEETINGS WITH MEMBERS OF CONGRESS FOR THIS MORNING BE POSTPONED AND THAT CONSIDERATION BE GIVEN TO MOVING BACK THE BEGINNING OF THE APPOINTMENT WITH THE SECRETARY TO 10:30 AM. THE MINAGRIC IS MOST PLEASED THAT AN APPOINTMENT HAS BEEN SET ASIDE FOR THE MINISTER DURING LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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THE AFTERNOON AT THE DEPARTMENT OF STATE. THEY POINTED OUT THAT MINISTER BARCIKOWSKI HOLDS THE RANK OF DEPUTY PRIME MINISTER BY VIRTUE OF HIS MEMBERSHIP IN THE PRESIDIU RZADU AND AS A DEPUTY MEMBER OF THE POLITBURO. THE MINISTRY HAS REQUESTED A MEETING WITH SECRETARY KISSINGER. IF THE SECRETARY IS UNAVAILABLE THEY WOULD LIKE TO KNOW WHAT DEPARTMENT OF STATE OFFICER WILL BE MEETING WITH THE MINISTER FOR THIS APPOINTMENT. THE DINNER SCHEDULED FOR

MONDAY EVENING HAS BEEN CANCELLED BECAUSE OF THE HEAVY  
SCHEDULE OF ACTIVITIES ON THIS FIRST DAY.

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 23;

IN LIEU OF THE VISIT TO THE BELTSVILLE AGRICULTURAL RESEACH  
CENTER, THE MINAGRIC WOULD LIKE TO SCHEDULE MEETINGS WITH  
MEMBERS OF CONGRESS FOR THIS MORNING. THEY SPECIFICALLY  
MENTIONED RECENT DEVELOPMENTS IN THE U.S. CONCERNING GRAIN  
SALES, EMPHASIZING THEIR DESIRE TO PLEAD THEIR CASE FOR  
CONTINUED GRAIN SALES TO POLAND DIRECTLY TO INTERESTED  
MEMBERS OF CONGRESS. THEY WOULD LIKE DEPARTMENT OF STATE  
AND AGRICULTURE ASSISTANCE IN SETTING UP MEETINGS WITH  
APPROPRIATE U.S. ELECTED OFFICIALS. THE REST OF THIS DAY  
WOULD REMAIN AS SCHEDULED WITH THE DELEGATION FLYING TO  
MOLINE IN THE AFTERNOON IN THE JOHN DEERE AIRCRAFT.

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 24:

MINISTER BARCIKOWSKI DEFINITELY WANTS TO VISIT THE

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